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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached are:

☒ Transmittal Letter; Request For Continued Examination (37 C.F.R. § 1.114) (in duplicate); Response to Office Action of January 20, 2004 (18 pages); Petition for Three Month Extension of Time (in duplicate);

☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

☐ No additional fee is required.

☐ Small Entity.

☒ An extension fee in an amount of \$950.00 for a three (3)-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

☒ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$770.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) (RCE Filing Fee).

☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
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Total	42	Minus	67	0	x \$9=			x \$18=	
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

Fee payment:

☒ Checks in the amount of \$770.00 and \$950.00 are enclosed.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

7/19/04

Gustavo Siller, Jr. (Reg. No. 32,305)